

No. 3 Nazi Breaks Silence

'Humane Motives' Moved Hess To Make Flight to Britain

Rudolf Hess left the following report on his flight to Scotland in 1941. His story is the first direct communication from the German No. 3 Nazi to the press since he was imprisoned by the British government in 1941.—(CP)

By LOUIS F. LOCHNER AND WES GALLAGHER
NUEBBERG, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Rudolf Hess declared yesterday that he flew to Scotland in 1941 to try to halt the fight between two "robber races"—England and Germany—and not to enlist British aid in the attack on Russia, as widely believed.

HESS ASSERTED he had planned the flight for the year before the invasion of Russia, and even had taken off for England several times from June, 1940, onward, but each time was forced back by bad weather. The successful attempt came on May 10, 1941.

The former No. 3 Nazi, and self-confessed amateur flier, made the statements in written answers to questions submitted to him in his Nuremberg jail cell.

HE SAID HE HAD expected to be called early by Hitler, and confessed unwilling loyalty to the man he helped to fly "Mein Kampf".

The young Nazi sub-chief of staff considered the questions for three days before answering them. He indicated that he had no definite plans of operation, once he landed in England, and carried only a letter of introduction to the Duke of Hamilton from Professor Karl Haushofer, his spiritual mentor and exponent of geopolitics.

ONE NOVEL FEATURE of Hess' statement was his insistence that even Haushofer and Willy Messerschmitt, German aircraft builder, knew nothing of his proposed flight. He had been presumed that both of them knew his intentions.

Asked what was the purpose of the flight to Scotland, Hess replied: "During the campaign in France I expressed my view to the Führer in June, 1940, that in conclusion of the peace with England which we then considered imminent, a demand should be made for the return of what had been taken from Germany by the Versailles Treaty. For instance: The equipment of the German merchant fleet."

The Führer disagreed, saying: "You know that already in our life during our imprisonment at Landsberg, in 1925, and ever since then, I have declared again and again that the basis of my policy upon setting peace must be an understanding with England. Even today I have not given up hope that this understanding can be achieved when a certain period of time has elapsed after this war."

"IF, HOWEVER, one desires an understanding with a people, one must not make demands before which which are bound to render bitterness. I said that a Versailles Treaty which sooner or later will lead to a new war, is striving for a peace which will last, bring reconciliation between peoples, and which will be enduring."

"I have to insist on two conditions. First, an exact delimitation of the spheres of influence of both powers, and second, a return of some former German colonies. This demand for the return of German property is a very modest one compared with the size of other colonial empires."

"I CONSIDER THIS WAR, in which for the second time within one generation peoples of a modern age are decimating each other and are destroying their very existence, as a terrible tragedy. The sooner this war is ended, the better it will be for humanity. In order to attain this end, however, everything must be avoided that might wound British prestige."

I said to myself at the time that most likely reasons of prestige prevented England from entertaining the various proposals for understanding made by me. I considered the military position then prevailing. England could negotiate without loss of prestige only if a reason viable to the whole world for entering into pacts with Germany could be provided. I therefore decided to supply this reason by going personally to England."

I left a letter for the Führer at the moment of my departure, giving my reason for the flight. In 1941 I argued: After contact with me the British government will be in a position to declare:

"WE HAVE BECOME convinced in talks with Herr Hess that proposals of the Führer looking toward an understanding had been made in earnest. Under these circumstances, England does not feel justified in assuming responsibility for prolonging the slaughter without having endeavored to bring the war to a conclusion acceptable to all parties. She therefore declares her willingness to enter upon negotiations looking to this goal."

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Long-Shot Winner



When Betty Ann Bryman of San Diego, Calif., was born she was given about one chance in 100 to survive. She weighed only 20 ounces. Now, one year later, she looks like Little Miss Health herself. She's pictured with her mother, Mrs. Ralph E. Reymann.

body else knew of my intention except for an attendant whom I took into my confidence.

Latest Mannville Wedding Plans End Up on Rocks

NEW ROCHELLE, N.Y., Dec. 10.—(AP)—Tommy Mannville and his wife-to-be eighth bride followed the familiar jigaw pattern of other Mannville marriages Sunday—and wound up "at home" but not yet married.

Mannville and British-born Georgina Campbell went to Greenwich, Conn., to be married by Justice of the Peace Joseph O'Brien who has married the 31-year-old bride here to four of his previous wives.

A half-hour before the scheduled ceremony they left in a huff and returned to Mannville's home.

Dr. Jeremiah Lynch, of New York, who was to have given the bride away, said the couple had had a lover's spat "over the cost of the big party to which the bride objected."

Reporters estimated the champagne, flowers, roast beef, ham and turkey offered them cost Mannville at least \$600.

But later Mannville and the 26-year-old Miss Campbell denied they had had differences.

She said they now planned to be married in New York State and that it would take at least two or three days to get a licence.

Kills 400 Bears During 74 Years

LINDSAY, Ont., Dec. 10.—(CP)—Thomas Roberts of Haliburton, known throughout this area as "the big bear man," says that during his 74 years he has bagged more than 400 bears. His bear rage may be found on the floors of homes in New York, Buffalo, Chicago and through out Ontario. This year he has killed only nine bears, but he says: "I can still hike across the woods from morning to night and get up the next morning feeling fit. That is the outdoor life does for a man."

RCAF Plane Sets West-East Record

MONTREAL, Dec. 10.—(CP)—Defence Minister Abbott expressed surprise here that the RCAF Liberator in which he recently travelled from Vancouver's Sea Island to Ottawa was creating a record for the trip. It was announced by the RCAF at Ottawa Saturday that the plane, a Liberator of No. 9 transport group, made the flight of approximately 2,500 miles in 10 hours and 52 minutes.—A new record on this stretch for transport planes.

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Farm Problems Receive Study In Parliament

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IT WAS THE FIRST Saturday night sitting of the session and when the adjournment bells rang late before the war, it was learned Saturday. The King will make his Christmas broadcast from Sandringham. During the war, the royal family spent Christmas at Windsor Castle near London.

Before rising after hours of steady discussion, the members gave brief attention to estimates of the trade and commerce department, which likely will engender considerable debate on post-war trade problems when they again come before the committee.

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SOCIAL CREDITERS, who have modeled reform as one of the main planks of their platform, were expected to continue their filibustering tactics when the debate resumed Monday.

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Oppose Giving Job Preference All Veterans

OTTAWA, Dec. 10.—(CP)—A session of preference in allocation of civil service positions to war veterans without overseas service has been opposed in debate submitted to the veterans committee of the Commons by both Civil Service Commission and the Canadian

THE PRESENT YEAR has seen the greatest influx of veterans into the service, the commission noted. Figures for the war years: 1939, 1,833; 1940, 3,564; 1941, 2,864; 1942, 3,701; 1943, 4,112; 1944, 4,030; 1945, Nov. 26, 4,200.

Of 1,480 male appointments in November, 80 per cent were veterans who made the necessary 30 per cent or better in qualifying examinations—a barrier they all must face.

"THE DANGER of trying to include everyone in the preference," the Legion submitted, "is that it will become unworkable and produce administrative chaos where a reasonably smooth procedure now exists."

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1,500 Servicemen For Railway Work

OTTAWA, Dec. 10.—Close to 1,500 members of the armed forces across Canada will be put to work next spring on railway track maintenance, while awaiting discharge, it was learned Saturday.

The service personnel will be paid by the army and will be under army discipline. Those with previous track maintenance experience and others interested in this work will be selected. It will not be compulsory for them to accept this employment. Both railways will utilize their services.

The labor department said that approximately 2,000 army personnel assisted in railway maintenance this year, and the plan for next spring is only a continuation of this policy. The work will be for only a short period. Since the war, the need for track workers has been great, due to the fact that many of the

veterans "who are disabled to such an extent they are unable to resume their pre-war avocations and have not otherwise satisfactorily established careers of veterans get female preferences."

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Named Professor

KANSAS CITY, Mo., 10.—(AP)—Andre Masurov, French novelist, playwright and historian, will join the faculty of the University of Kansas next Jan. 28. He will instruct classes in literature on a full-time professorial basis.

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Exam Rows of Today Studying Economics Are—

Cold, Cold Realists

They Live in a Changing World and Are Interested in Production, Markets and More Efficient Ways of Operating the Farm

By R. J. Deachman *The Ottawa Journal*

A few days ago at the OAC Gala Dinner, I spoke in the 1980 year-end class in economics. Time brings strange changes. I graduated from the OAC in 1960. These boys were graduate in 1980, 20 years from that date they too may look back at this time in their lives. It will then be close to the end of another century. Will the view be clearer, the prospects brighter, will they again be living in the shadow of war?

History alone can tell and history is always written by the survivors. The survivors are not the

not that greater miseries in peace and war will yet be wrought. In these agriculture will have a share—there is hope of it. A hard fight—Canada has fought a hard fight—much remains to be done. But the odds are now favorable for victory. Agriculture is reaping more considerable benefits than it has for many years. The fact that agriculture soundly defeated the Communist Party at the foundation of national progress,

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well and give them all the help we can while we linger along the way.

Readers Say:

What are these boys thinking about? I have just received and I loved the somewhat common illustration of a milkmaid. I am sure that the state will do everything, feed the cattle, milk the cows, take care of the milk, and there are no guarantee prices far beyond the market average.

In agriculture there is a close relationship between effort and result. The farmer must work hard before the milk is sold. The position of the farmer must be improved by shortening hours. When the market is good, the price a week the price of the products produced would rise to the point where the demand would be met. A forced-up change would mean that the farmer would be able to produce needs more efficient production—no disher prices.

These boys, in studying economics, are not thinking of the

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A Good Idea

Editor, Bulletin: If we can get the milkmen to deliver the milk in Yearly Day deliveries, you can

we not go one step further and secure enough milk on winter Sal-

are directly upon the costs of production, markets, more efficient ways of doing things.

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THEIR INTEREST in early labor history is easily explained. In the latter half of the 19th century when this continent was scarcely settled, the area around the mines and the railroads was the scene of the struggle between the capitalists and the workers. The latter were being exploited, and the capitalists, seeking a market for their products, provided new instruments of production. The result was a program of changes—from the introduction of the factory system to the combination of the worker to the binder, from the stude to the combine—changes are still being made.

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Reincarnation

Editor, Bulletin: Have read on evolution and re-incarnation of the soul. I believe in the latter and in joy and peace in these: "Natural transformation of the soul," a thought which I believe to be true, and which I believe to be the

machines, few methods. In a competitive economy we scrap the old, introduce the new, and move on.

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THE BIG PROBLEM before agriculture is markets and this is tied

Such lines in the bible lead me to believe in reincarnation, since there are half of the earth's inhabitants who are spiritually dormant.

But since we have no concrete knowledge of such previous existences and of our own perfection; "All we can be sure of in this world

Soon exchange have been destroyed by the inability of some nations to

Back to the Farm

to be able to build homes with less effort, that is, less cost, than

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He has not the courage to arraign these men for desertion, which he is entitled to do. He knows that they will not return to the farms, now that the war is over.

Offhand, I would say that, even if the rural labor movement is accurate enough to be taken seriously, the above figure is rather high; far below it, I would estimate, is the reading of the official census of the rural-labor movement. I do not believe that the rural movement exceeded 425,000, and I think I exaggerate. I believe that more than 100,000 rural laborers were organized in the farms. If they haven't, then there is a rural labor crisis in the making—a crisis that is not the crisis of rural life that the "elder folk" are

... he well, according to legal processes, but is not entitled to take away his means

of livelihood. For doing exactly the same thing on a larger scale the Nazi leaders are being arraigned before an international court at Nurnberg. The distance between De Valera's methods of vengeance and Hitler's is not as great as it seems. September, 1939. Nevertheless, I think the minister has done a service by spotlighting this startling trend—because even rural prosperity seems no longer a match for the lure of the city's lights.

Increase Asked Civil Service Pension Rates

CALGARY, Dec. 10.—(CP)—Request for a substantial increase in the present superannuation or pension rates for retiring civil servants was made in a resolution endorsed by the twenty-fifth annual convention of the Civil Service Association of Alberta Saturday. The resolution was presented to the meeting by Edmonton, No. 2 branch.

THE CONVENTION approved of another resolution from the same branch affecting persons who became employees of the government at ages above the maximum age for participation in the superannuation plan.

It was pointed out that many of these would be retired in the near future and they would be unable to obtain other employment because of their age and they would not be eligible for unemployment insurance benefits. Many of them would be almost destitute when retired.

WHILE THE ASSOCIATION appreciated the recent action of the government authorizing to such employees payment of retiring gratuities equal to two weeks' pay for each year of service it was stated that this would go only a little way to meeting their needs until they could qualify for old age pensions.

The resolution asked the government to give special consideration to such employees who were in serious circumstances.

THE RED DEER BRANCH asked the association to keep the association in favor of setting up a health insurance plan. The special committee on insurance, however, reported there was little interest in such a plan and the resolution was dropped.

The following were elected to the 24th executive: H. W. Bland, A. D. Bruce, William Bullock, F. J. Fitzpatrick, H. C. French, C. E. K. Garsden, J. H. Holloway, S. F. Kenworthy, Miss Winnie Meakin, William McCruther, A. Pearl, W. Scott, T. W. Whelan, Mrs. Irene Gibson, R. W. Ellis, and William Kostak, all of Edmonton; and Fort Saskatchewan, C. G. Edwards, Oliver, G. M. Hart, Ponoka, and Miss Margaret Sharpe, Red Deer.

Russian Division To Occupy Japan

TOKYO, Dec. 10.—(BCP)—An Allied headquarters official today confirmed a report that a division of Russian troops would arrive in the Japanese home islands early in 1946.

The number and date of arrival were not disclosed, and Gen. Douglas MacArthur's planning and operations section said it had no information on reports that the Russians were sending 30,000 troops to Japan.

THE MATTER was reported in Japanese papers as a result of the Russo-American pact, and because the Russians want to occupy Hokkaido under their own administration while the Americans are insisting that all Allied occupation forces be under the command of Gen. MacArthur and integrated under the Eighth Army.

It is understood that a division of British troops were also scheduled to arrive in Japan after the first of next year. The Chinese were reported to have sent word that they "were unable to accept" taken occupation force now due to unsettled conditions at home.

Montreal Police Sponsoring Move For Youth Centres

MONTREAL, Dec. 10.—(CP)—The Montreal Police Athletic Association Saturday voted \$1,000 to a fund to help create youth centres throughout the city, a plan originated by Detective John Pelletier. The plan, which is approved by Police Director Fernand Deschamps, is designated to create "upright, public-spirited adult citizens of tomorrow."

Sgt. Pelletier who has devoted 10 years to the study of juvenile problems, said the first centre will be opened in east-end Montreal's Park within several weeks. All youths in the district will be welcome, and in the club house and sports "in an atmosphere of moral rectitude."

Farmer Elected As House Leader Of Manitoba CCF

WINNIPEG, Dec. 10.—(CP)—Farmer of Winnipeg was re-elected CCF House leader in the Manitoba Legislature at the annual convention of the provincial party here. Election of a deputy leader was deferred until after election of representatives of the armed services to the Legislature in January. A caucus will then be held to name the deputy leader.

Australia Plans To Allow Entry Of 2,000 Jews

SYDNEY, Australia, Dec. 10.—(CP)—The federal government has decided to permit the migration to Australia of 2,000 destitute European Jews as a mercy gesture, it was learned Sunday.

The immigration department already has granted permits to many of these Jews but a acute shipping shortage is preventing their immediate movement. It is unlikely that the first party will reach Australia before 1947.

The immigrants will not be given preference over migrants coming to Australia from Britain or other countries under the government's immigration plan.

RICKIN' AROUND



"No—no—Hubert—some of them still run!"

U.K. and Canada To Discuss Continuance Of Wartime Traffic Cuts

By CHESTER BLOOM
Edmonton Bulletin Ottawa Bureau

OTTAWA, Dec. 10.—One immediate factor in continuing Canadian trade with the United Kingdom which will be taken up by the British delegation just arrived here from Washington is the question of continuing the war tariff cuts in effect between the two countries.

UNDER THE TERMS of the Emergency Powers Act, passed Friday by the Canadian house, for trade purposes at least, the war with Japan and Germany ends officially on January 1, next.

The special war tariff reductions made by Canada on British imports therefore will automatically end at the same time.

Involved in this situation also, are the Canadian price control ceilings which are also an obstacle to British imports since over a great quantity of goods they are much lower than British prices, making imports from Britain difficult except at a loss.

THE SPECIAL TARIFF reductions allowed by Canada on British goods during the war cover a wide range, especially in textiles. British cottons under the war arrangement were imported free, duties on woollens were cut 25 percent and on many other articles, their valuation was reduced to 25 percent for duty purposes.

The delegation which has arrived here to explain the intricate details of the new Anglo-American loan of \$3,750,000,000 in new funds, and its bearing on Canadian-British arrangements includes Sir Percy Leitch, Sir Edward Bridges and Sir George Lloyd.

THE IMMEDIATE EFFECT on Canadian-British trade by the ending of the official end of the war for Canada, at least as January 1, 1946, must receive immediate attention due to the few weeks in which a readjustment of the war tariff schedule can be achieved. Unquestionably, some temporary action must be taken to extend these trade arrangements pending the London conference which will be attended by Hon. James A. Macdonald, Canadian minister of trade and commerce, and his aides early in the new year.

The price ceiling problem offers even greater difficulties. For some time past, large Canadian drop-out stores have been importing considerable quantities of British goods to sell under the Canadian price ceilings, taking a loss upon them to preserve the trade. But smaller merchants cannot manage this.

LOSSES HAVE BEEN taken by larger importers under the anticipation that Canadian price controls must be relaxed before very long, permitting some rise in prices. But this, of course, involves the whole question of salaries, wages and price ceilings. The government at Ottawa is extremely reluctant to relax any of these controls in the immediate future, fearing an inflationary upsurge.

TORONTO, Dec. 10.—(CP)—The Canadian Broadcasting Corporation has not carried commercially-sponsored programs on its English-speaking networks and stations on Christmas Day, the CBC announced Sunday.

HOMER



District News in Brief

Edson Resident Now Song-Writer

EDSON.—According to word received here, one of Edson's better-known residents is now a song-writer. He is Louis Joy, employee of the CNR Japer division. Name of his latest song is Welcome Home and is themed on the return of men and women from Canada's fighting forces.

Mr. Joy has been writing songs as a hobby for a number of years, but this is the first time any of his works have been recognized by a publishing firm. He was born at Corbin, B.C., the son of a coal miner and for a short time resided in Edmonton.

He was a violin pupil of Alexander Niel of Edmonton, and at one time lived in a rooming house. Married, he is the father of three sons.

Play Ten Tables

EDMONTON.—Ten tables were played at a card party in the Ending community hall last week, arranged by Mrs. E. L. Ballinger and Mrs. William Hume. Arthur James is visiting Hamilton and Calgary. Jessica Hume has returned to England after service with the RCAF (WV).

Dieppe Great Sacrifice In Stettler War Effort

By C. J. BANFORD

STETTLER.—The day of the Dieppe raid will always be remembered by citizens of Stettler and district as one of the darkest in the recent six years of warfare. On Aug. 19, 1942, word came through to this community that 23 of its fighting sons were among the missing.

IN THE ENSUING YEARS, their hearts grew, until eventually, the tide of battle turned, better news arrived, and months later the men themselves, war-weary but triumphant, returned to their homes. Nearly all of them are now back in Canada, the years as prisoners-of-war behind them.

First Stettler war casualty was Sgt. Granville Patrick, RCAF bomber pilot, who was killed while returning from a raid over German territory. In the succeeding months 73 names of local men appeared in the casualty lists.

ONE OF THE MOST tragic losses was that suffered by Mr. and Mrs. W. Sharpe. Both their sons, P. L. Douglas Sharpe, and P. L. Harold Sharpe, were killed in action in 1944.

Mrs. A. Culberts five sons all returned safely to Canada after varying periods of service "over there." Mr. and Mrs. J. Couligan lost a son, Sgt. Norman Couligan,

family served in Canada and in other theatres of war. Raymond Wilson, DFC, won his decoration just before being reported missing. CSM Roy Wilson was recently awarded the Military Medal for gallantry in the battle of the Falaise Gap. Harry Wilson was accidentally killed in service in Canada.

WO. Loren Todd, DFC, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Todd, and rear gunner in a Halifax bomber won his ribbon in 1942.

Altogether, according to figures compiled here, 250 men enlisted from Stettler; 23 were killed in action, 38 were made prisoners and eight were listed as missing in action.

CONTRIBUTION TO the war effort from the Stettler home front included the honor won by the town as first "over the top" in Canada, in the Victory loan immediately following the Dieppe raid. Every Victory loan to date, including the ninth, surpassed their objectives by a large margin.

Other activities, included the sending in 1944 of 129 Christmas parcels, weighing five pounds each from the Gift Club, to personnel overseas. Each month 30 cigarettes were sent by the club to local men overseas and parcels went regularly to those in prison camps.

Present Program

TWO HILLS.—Students of the Two Hills high school sponsored a literary society program under the leadership of Nicken Shukie. John G. Shukie was master of ceremonies.

Discuss Dramatics At Elk Point Meet

ELK POINT.—Feature of the sub-local ATA meeting last week was a demonstration by Miss Sarah Cheshire on "Dramatics in the Intermediate School." A demonstration of various phases of the course was presented with the assistance of Elk Point high school students.

Fire that broke out in a garage operated by Harry Hambleton last week was extinguished before any serious damage was done. Fire was believed caused by a spark from an oxy-acetylene torch which ignited a nearby can of oil.

Send Parcels Two Hills—The local branch of the Women's Ukrainian Organization has sent individual Christmas parcels to each of the district boys overseas who will not be home for Christmas. The club has also donated several duty bags to the Navy League.

475,000 Tons Jap Arms Destroyed

KYOTO, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Japanese laborers under supervision of Allied soldiers have destroyed more than 475,000 tons of Japanese arms and ammunition, including 100,000 rounds of small arms cartridges, 10,000 rounds of artillery ammunition, 1,000,000 rifle and hand grenades, and 15,000 tons of bulk explosives.

Merry Christmas

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From the past 24 hours, I suffered from the pain of gastric hyper-acidity. After each meal I found myself with a burning pain in the stomach. From the first day I used Canadian Van Hecke's I believe that I have done me good. I feel better than I have in months. If you suffer from indigestion, acidity, heartburn, acidity, and flatulence, have yourself treated with quick relief. For FREE samples of this treatment, a free booklet is sent. Call at NEARBY DRUG STORES, NEIGHBORS DRUG, 116 Ave. N., Edmonton. HILL'S PHARMACY, North End, Edmonton. GREGORY'S DRUGS, 116 Ave. N., or write Canadian Van Hecke, Dept. 376-D, Winnipeg, Ont.

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This gift will put a sparkle in the eye of any girl. Includes soap, lovely lotions and the popular Three Flowers Fragrance. **5.00**

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Christ Church Choir Is Heard At Music Club

Christmas music, old and new, was featured at the regular meeting of the Women's Musical Club held Saturday afternoon at the Masonic Temple. The program was contributed by the Christ Church choir, under the direction of Herbert G. Turner, with Dorothy Teape, organist.

WITH THE RAPID approach of Christmas the singing of carols is particularly appropriate for the final meeting of the club prior to Christmas. That the occasion was fully appreciated was evident by the large audience in attendance. Mr. Turner had given his choir a thorough grounding in the carols, their technical points, and their interpretation. The result was a performance that was both vocally efficient and satisfying. Mr. Turner conducted authoritatively and with a fine sense of balance and proportion.

The choir proved pliant and responsive and sang with evident enthusiasm for the task in hand. THERE WERE SEVERAL assisting artists, Nolan Heston, violinist, recently returned after lengthy service overseas with the R.C.A.F. who played a medley of carols and an obligato to a choir number; Madge Foster, who sang as Joseph; Van-a-Walking, Marguerite Sawyer who sang an old French carol; and Mackie Dickson who sang Silent Night, Holy Night.

THE CHOIR SANG: "My Heart This Night Rejoice, Hallelujah; O Boy is Born, arranged Gretchen Shaw, Carol, Sweetly, Carol, Perkins; Come in, Dear Angels, Whitehead; "The First Christmas," by Barbery, consisting of The Annunciation, The Message to the Shepherds, Crib Song of the Blessed Virgin and Gloria in Excelsis. The Anthem of Peace, Barbery; On Christmas Morn, Mackenzie; Across the Desert Sands by Night, arranged Martin; Shepherd Song, The Off Your Drowsy Sleep, arranged Stainer; Hark the Bells are Pealing; Tomlinson; The Holly and the Ivy, arranged Houghton; Good King Wenceslas, We Three Kings; The Orient Air, Hopkins; O Little Town of Bethlehem, Dressler; and Once Again Our Hearts We Raise. Miss Teape provided artistic and helpful accompaniment throughout.

Fish Game League

Meets on Tuesday

Regular meeting of the North Alberta Fish and Game Protective League will be held at 8 p.m. Tuesday in the Corns hall, 315 Mackenzie, president announced Monday. On the agenda are discussions pertaining to resolutions for the provincial convention, song book and game fish reports, general business and election of officers for the new term.

Special Services

Maj. W. Kilson of Jasper Salvation Army War Services, conducted the 35th anniversary service of the opening of the South Edmonton Salvation Army Corps on Saturday and Sunday. Capt. J. W. Behnemann is in charge of the corps there.

Legion Heads Add to Veterans' Christmas Gift File



H. E. Tanner, president of the Edmonton local No. 24, Canadian Legion, and Mrs. W. G. Paterson, president of the Ladies' Auxiliary, are shown as they add their contribution on Saturday to the pile of presents waiting in Eaton's store for Christmas distribution to hospitalized Edmonton veterans. A special appeal is going out to generous Edmonton residents to make their contributions to the pile as soon as possible.

Answered by Premier

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CFCB—290 K. Radio City Broadcasting Co. Ltd., Edmonton.
CFCB—280 K. Columbia Broadcasting System Stations: KVI, 500 K.; KSL, 1100 K.; WCLD, 50 K.; KSN, 100 K.; KND, 710 K.; KFI, 640 K.; KHL, 300 K.

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Business Expansion Plans Are Sought

A request that any information regarding the desire of business firms to locate in Western Canada, or the establishment or enlargement of businesses be forwarded to Mr. E. W. Tweed, president of the Edmonton Industrial Development Board, was made Saturday on behalf of the board.

The board was set up under joint sponsorship of the City of Edmonton, the Edmonton Chamber of Commerce and the Edmonton Trades and Labor Council, with the object of assisting industries established in the city to expand or improve and to encourage the establishment of new plants by Edmonton firms or people from other parts of the country.

The board added the request that information regarding premises to house new industries or accommodation for those requiring enlarged quarters be given to the board secretary.

Charles E. Grogg, chairman of the board.

Old-Time Resident, Mrs. W. Tweed Dies

Resident of the city for 17 years, and widely-known in church and other circles, in whom she was a member of the legislature, died on Saturday. Her husband, Dr. W. E. Tweed, president here prior to coming to this city. Dr. and Mrs. Tweed were well-known residents of Morden and Killarney, Man.

After a service at the Howard and Melville chapel, the body will be taken to Killarney, where burial will take place.

Surviving are five sons, Claude and Lucie at Vancouver, William at Hamilton, Man., and George and Fred at Edmonton; three daughters, W. M. Butler, Montreal, Man., J. E. Kinley, Edmonton, and Mrs. J. C. Oulton, St. Anne, Cal.

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The Road Ahead

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however, about 115 plan to make their post-war homes in that city. THE RESULT OF THIS is that there are going to be more people seeking jobs in industry than are required. And, as you notice already, there are not going to be as many men seeking work in lumber camps, mines, and other primary industries as are required to supply the raw materials necessary to keep the factories busy, the construction trade supplied, or to fill our export quotas.

However, during the war years, those who took jobs in organized industry have piled up years of seniority, which means that even if

returned men get jobs in those plants, they will be the first ones laid off because they will have the least seniority. Without explaining this at length I believe that everyone will admit that this is hardly fair to the returned men, and that they deserve a better break than this.

EXCLUDING THE PRIMARY industries, at the end of 1944 there were approximately 2,500,000 persons employed in industry, manufacturing, and business of one kind and another. At the same time we had approximately 1,000,000 men and women in the armed forces. These figures are estimated and therefore are not to be considered absolutely accurate, but are close enough to be used to illustrate this argument.

Of those in the armed forces approximately 600,000 will want jobs in industry, manufacturing plants, or business establishments of various kinds. It is estimated that



Despite scenic beauty of this street scene, heavy 10-inch snowfall in Buffalo, N.Y., blocked streets, caused suburban power failures, cancelled airline and bus traffic and stranded motorists and public transportation.

more than 1,000,000 persons who have been employed in industry, etc., have been employed in plants or business establishments of various kinds. It is estimated that

given over to war materials and supplies. It can be easily seen that the problem of returned men wanting

jobs in industry, etc., as compared with those who have been employed in industrial undertakings, is about one returned man to every

four civilians. With this as a basis it should be very easy to arrange to give the returned men an equal opportunity. All that needs to be done is for the government to pass a regulation making it compulsory for every employer of labor to employ at least one returned man of woman for every four civilians.

THE SAME PROCEDURE could be followed with the unions and they could be required to balance their membership so that they show a proportion of at least one returned man for every four civilians. This could also be extended to include handicapped cases.

There will probably be opposition to a regulation making it compulsory for employers or unions to do anything. But there should be no objection whatever to the use of an advertising campaign aimed at employers and the unions in order to get them to agree to such a scheme. The percentage might have to be varied from industry to industry.

Promising Stage Talent Is Sought

An opportunity for all interested in acting and stage work is being offered to Edmonton citizens by officials of the Edmonton Community Theatre. The organization is very anxious to procure some new talent, and plan to promote a number of one-act plays, through which medium they hope to find actors and actresses with promising ability. Try-outs for these one-act plays are to be held on Monday Dec. 10 at 8 p.m. in the Community Theatre club rooms in the new market building, at 900-102 avenue. The plays are to be put on early in the new year. All interested are invited to come and take an active part in providing entertainment for Edmontonians.

Display Uranium At New York Show

NEW YORK, Dec. 10.—(AP)—Uranium 235—source of atomic energy—will go on public display for the first time Dec. 12 when the United States Navy will open an exhibition of research and inventions here. An atom will be generated by 270,000,000,000 times in order to make it visible to the human eye.

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